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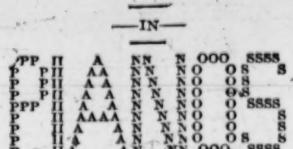
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BURIED BY SNOW.

A Terrific Slide Near Mullan, Idaho.

Miners' Cabins Crushed and Occupants Killed.

The Town Barely Escapes Being Carried Away.

A Fresno Constable Shot at—Watchman Bird Dies of His Wound—Rain in Northern California—Happens Elsewhere.

By Telegraph to The Times.
SPOKANE, (Wash.) Jan. 14.—(By the Associated Press.) With a mighty roar as of thunder a terrific snowslide came down the mountains at Mullan, Idaho, yesterday, carrying everything before it. Several miners in cabins in its path were crushed and buried. Cornelius McVey and John Leon were eating dinner in their cabins, and before they realized the danger the slide was upon them, crushing the life out of them in a twinkling. It is feared others were buried under the immense slide of snow. Not until spring comes will it be known how many perished. The town of Mullan narrowly escaped being carried away.

A CONSTABLE SHOT AT.

What is Supposed to Be More of Evans's Work Comes to Light.

HANFORD, Jan. 14.—(By the Associated Press.) This morning a man came into town from about five miles northeast and reported to the officers that a carriage and two horses, one of them dead, was found in the road near his place at midnight. Constable Goodrich went to the place and brought the live horse and buggy into town. The buggy top had three bullet holes through the back, and the horse that was found dead was shot through the body.

It was subsequently learned that William Chidlers, a Fresno constable, who was driving from Godden to Hanford on Saturday evening, was held up and fired at while a short distance out from Goshen. He escaped with two bullet holes through his coat. A street rumor connects Evans and Morrell with the affair.

IN FULL BLAST.

Sunday Visitors to the Midwinter Fair Entertainers.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 14.—(By the Associated Press.) The '49 mining camp was opened to the public today, and but few people who visited the exposition failed to avail themselves of the opportunity to get a glimpse of the golden days in California.

The gambling-house of the camp was in full operation, the old stage-coach rattled down the street and deposited its human freight of prospectors. The dance-hall was also a leading attraction. The dancers are pretty and graceful, and the costumes are the picture-postcard Spanish style. The newspaper, which is known as "The Self-Cocker," publishes the sentiments of its proprietors in the old-fashioned, frank way.

A SEVERE STORM.

Rain Has Prevailed Over California North of 36 Deg. North Latitude.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 14.—(By the Associated Press.) The barometer has descended to 30.02 over the southwestern California coast roads tonight at Los Angeles being 30.24 inches. It is due to this barometric gradient that rain today extended over the whole of California, north of 36 deg. north latitude, and gales prevailed along the coast from San Francisco northward. The rainfall was heaviest at Red Bluff and Roseburg, where 1.03 and 1.10 inches of rain, respectively, are reported. The present storm is the most severe of the winter so far.

CHINESE AT BOISE.

They Will Not Register Unless Instructed to Do So.

BOISE (Idaho), Jan. 14.—(By the Associated Press.) The only Chinese who has so far registered in Boise is a restaurant-keeper. Those engaged in mining throughout the district have informed the Collector of Internal Revenue that they will not register unless instructed to do so by the Six Companies.

A Rabbit Hunt.

LAMAR (Colo.) Jan. 14.—All records were broken in the two-days' rabbit hunt which ended last night. The total number of rabbits killed was 4000 and the highest individual score was 200. The game was shipped to Denver and Pueblo and distributed among the needy.

Pastor of St. Patrick's.

JAN. 14.—Rev. Father Patric J. Dowling, pastor of St. Patrick's Church of this city, died tonight of heart failure. He was a native of Ireland, aged 50 years.

Died of His Wound.

MANFORD, Jan. 14.—Fred M. Bird, the night watchman of this city, who was shot by John Harris, on December 24 last, died of his wound today at 6 p.m.

THE OLDEST EDITOR.

Serman Siegel of the Milwaukee Abend Post Finishes His Task.

MILWAUKEE, Jan. 14.—(By the Associated Press.) Herman Siegel, the oldest editor in point of service in the United States, died today, aged 54. He had been editor-in-chief of the Abend Post of this city for three years, but had been connected with Milwaukee newspapers for nearly twenty-five years.

A Cleveland Banker.

CLEVELAND, Jan. 14.—Samuel Mather, one of the oldest bankers of Cleveland, died today, aged 80 years. In 1849 he organized a savings bank, which now has deposits of \$23,000,000, and of which he was president when he died.

COMPETITIVE BEAUTY.

Our American Girls Have Set the Pace for Their English Cousins.

(Harper's Weekly.) Grant Allen says that the last twenty-five years have marked a decided advance in the beauty of English women. In the middle of the century ago, says he, he traveled both in England and in France, and, as he became a naturalist, took particular note of the appearance of the girls. Very lately he has been over the same ground again, and finds that the French women are no prettier than they were, but that among the daughters of the middle class in England the improvement is unmeasurable. He finds that the young English girls are better grown, better features, and much more beauty than those of their mothers. Beauty has a larger share in the eyes of the beholder that it is possible that some of the improvement Mr. Allen notes is due to a change in himself. It is conceivable that his heart warms more readily than it did to British

beauty, or that twenty-five years of ripening experience have brought him to the conclusion that the simple charms of youth. Yet he is by profession an observer of natural phenomena, and should know whereof he speaks. It is probably true that English girls have grown handsomer, and the reason is not far to seek. The development of artifices and don'ts had something to do with it, but it is safe enough to attribute the major part of the improvement to the effect of competition. For the last two decades the American girl has notoriously set the pace for the English girl, who, in turn, has made a brilliant and not altogether unsuccessful effort to keep up with it, while the French women, being comparatively free from American competition, show no appreciable progress. So far as the English girls are concerned, what an excellent result can come with an excellent result, and how creditable to the native grit which prompted them to do their best, instead of settling helplessly down under discouragement! The American girl, it appears, is good for everybody; her rivals included.

RAILWAY BUILDING.

A Year of Comparatively Small Railroad Construction.

Track Laid During the Year 1893 in all the States and Territories—The Total Mileage Aggregates 2630 Miles.

The following is from the Railroad Age and Northwestern Railroad of December 29:

The year now closing having been memorable as a year of financial calamity has naturally also been a period of comparatively small railway building. The country is not by any means yet supplied with all needed railways. Many hundreds of practicable lines have been projected and will eventually be built, but capital has learned that railway investments are beset with many dangers and uncertainties, and so when hard times come new enterprises of this kind are among the first to suffer in inability to raise money. Although it was evident before 1893 that the products of preceding years would not be maintained in railway building, yet work was soon in progress on a sufficient number of lines to make it probable that the year's total of new track would reach 3000 or 3500 miles. But the J. P. Morgan and his subjects started to lay lines on which work had been actively progressing, and caused serious delay in others, so that the end of the year finds many unfinished lines, on which much work has been done, and leaves the total of new mileage less than for any two years in the last seventeen years. Our records show that the new main track laid in the United States in 1893 aggregates 2630 miles on 222 lines in forty-three of the States and Territories; also that in Canada 461 miles have been built on sixteen lines, and in Mexico 100 miles on five lines. The summary for the different States is as follows:

TRACK LAID IN THE YEAR 1893.

State Lines Miles.

Alabama 5 42.

Arizona 1 42.

Arkansas 6 36.51

Colorado 9 26.65

Florida 9 211.70

Georgia 7 172.

Illinois 7 58.59

Indiana 5 22.60

Iowa 1 4.

Kentucky 5 26.15

Louisiana 5 29.35

Maryland 1 15.49

Massachusetts 1 1.63

Michigan 4 61.83

Nevada 8 86

Mississippi 7 9.50

Missouri 139.59

Montana 1 27.50

New Hampshire 2 37.10

New Jersey 1 1.12

New Mexico 1 2.53

New York 29 78.55

North Dakota 2 149.61

Ohio 7 146.

Oregon 45 384.84

Pennsylvania 1 5.21

South Carolina 1 14.

Tennessee 5 46.

Texas 18 16.66

Utah 10 166.47

Vermont 3 15.57

Washington 2 41.90

West Virginia 15 93.81

Wisconsin 4 26.59

Wyoming 1 3.38

Total in forty-three States 222 2,639.99

Canada 16 61.17

Mexico 99.45

The wide distribution of these 2630 miles of new track is noteworthy.

Only five of our States and Territories—Vermont, Connecticut, Delaware, Nevada and Indian Territory—show no

addition whatever, but several of the States added from only one to five miles each, and the entire 222 lines, all on average less than twelve miles to each road.

The dance-hall was also a leading attraction. The dances are pretty and graceful, and the costumes are the picture-postcard Spanish style. The newspaper, which is known as "The Self-Cocker," publishes the sentiments of its proprietors in the old-fashioned, frank way.

NECK AND NOOSE.

Lynching of Three Men in Kansas.

J. G. Burton, William and John Gay Hanged.

Taken by a Mob from the Jail at Russell.

They Were Accused of the Murder of Fred Dinning—Young Gay Charged Burton With the Crime—Shots for the Strangling.

made ready for sealing, some here and some of the vessels at the cape. They will all start out in January next, as soon as the seals begin to appear in the vicinity of Cape Flattery, and will cruise south, following the herds along the coast to the Columbia River, and thence west with the seals as they slowly wend their way north to the Aleutian rockeries.

From the Columbia River to Alaska the Makah natives know the coast, and can navigate their own schooners; but when they go to Bering Sea, or to the Japan Sea, they are compelled to go with them a Caucasian navigator. The young men of the tribe are exceedingly bright. Most of them attend the evening school, where they learn to read and write English. Recently some of them have been studying navigation, and it is believed that they will be able to navigate their own vessels, even in foreign waters. The earnings of the members of the tribe from sealing aggregate over \$40,000 a year.

SPORTING RECORD.

ARTFUL DOGTERS.

The Duval Club is Playing Possum.

Ians Laid to Outwit the Governor—A Mammoth Rabbit Hunt—The Mexican Races—International Bi-cycle Race.

By Telegraph to The Times.

RUSSELL (Kan.) Jan. 14.—(By the Associated Press.) Last night a mob of about twenty men entered the jail, took out J. G. Burton, William Gay and his son, John Gay, and hanged the trio to a small railroad bridge, a short distance east of the depot, between the hours of 1 and 2 o'clock. About midnight residents of the north part of town heard a party of fifteen to twenty horsemen come in from the north, who left the horses at the stockyards, where their plans were arranged. The mob then proceeded to the jail.

A few citizens who happened to be out late noticed the suspicious actions of the mob, but were powerless to thwart their purpose, and watched the proceedings from a safe distance. No officers were aroused, or were even aware what was going on until early this morning, so quiet were the actions of the mob. The orders were given by signs, and were obeyed without a word being spoken. In the jail were two steel cells, in which the prisoners were confined. Guards were placed about the jail, and it was but the work of a moment for the balance of the mob to gain an entrance.

About this time, Burton gave a few loud yells and asked what was wanted with him. The masked mob began to break the locks with sledgehammers. Burton was the first one taken out, and was proceeded with to the spot selected for the lynching, and was left under guard. The balance of the party returning and joining the guards watching the jail. The two Gays were then marched across the bridge, Burton having been led, and the ropes were placed around their necks and each was given a chance to speak.

Burton said he could tell lots about his connections with stealing cattle, selling whisky and other things, but when asked to tell about the Dinning murder, replied: "No, sir." Young Gay made a prayer, and said Burton had killed Dinning with an axe. Old man Gay stated: "We were led into this."

The Duval Club's argument will be that a county solicitor refused to introduce evidence against Corbett and Mitchell contest. It is conceded that the means employed by Gov. Mitchell should be stopped to the stoppage of the contest. It will be impossible for the Governor to act, as by the laws of Florida, he is not empowered to order out the militia without a call from the court of appeals.

The Duval Club's argument will be that a county solicitor refused to introduce evidence against Corbett and Mitchell when they were arrested for arranging a glove contest, and that such contest is, therefore, not illegal, and that the Duval Club has a large amount of money invested which will be lost should the contest be prevented.

It is believed that the injunction will be granted on these grounds, but there are other reasons why the club is confident of attaining such an end. Seven years ago, when Judge Call was County Collector, he succeeded in getting the Circuit Court to enjoin the Sheriff from interfering in any way with the contest. It will be impossible for the Governor to act, as by the laws of Florida, he is not empowered to order out the militia without a call from the court of appeals.

The Associated Press correspondent learned today that Gov. Mitchell has received a telegram from the Adjutant General of the State militia notifying the captains of companies to hold their men in readiness for a call to action. Not only has the subject been mentioned to the Jacksonville officers, but also to officers who command companies in surrounding towns.

INTERNATIONAL RACE.

PALM SPRINGS, Jan. 14.—Hundreds of motorcycle racers took place today between the British 100-mile champion, Linton, and French champion, Dubois. There were 17,500 persons present. Linton led after twenty miles, but when he increased his lead to a lap, owing to Dubois falling, the crowd hooted him. Linton finally won by over a lap. An American acted as pacemaker for the winner.

The Law in the Case.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, SS.

Personal suit filed before me George W. Crawford, foreman of the pressroom of the Los Angeles Times, who, being duly sworn, deposes and says that the daily edition

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The actual circulation of The Times for the week ended Saturday, January 13, was equal to 20 per cent. of the population of the city of Los Angeles, as follows:

Sunday, January 1	16,440
Tuesday, January 3	12,600
Tuesday, January 9	12,650
Wednesday, January 10	12,450
Thursday, January 11	12,450
Friday, January 12	12,200
Saturday, January 13	12,525

Total for the week..... 92,095

Average for seven days..... 13,133

*See sworn statement.

AMUSEMENTS TONIGHT

BURBANK THEATER—The Burglar.

CAUSE OF THE LATE ISSUE.

An unforeseen mischance and unfortunate delay in the stereotyping department of The Times, on Saturday night, caused the late issue of the paper, which annoyed some of our patrons yesterday morning. The reason is offered as an apology for what the publishers regret more than their patrons can.

THE STATE OF BUSINESS.

The state of business in Los Angeles is fairly indicated by the state of The Times' columns yesterday, which contained the following classes and amounts of paid advertising, viz:

Readers	5
Liners	22
Display	60
Total	87

THE HAGAN PERSECUTION.

The investigation of Dr. Hagan by the Board of Supervisors, in regard to his management of the County Hospital which has been so long drawn out, came to an end on Saturday when two complaining witnesses occupied the stand for a considerable time and made a very poor show of themselves. In fact, from beginning to end it has been too evident that the prosecution in this case has been dictated, not by a desire for justice, but by malicious, personal and demagogic motives.

This is the second time that Dr. Hagan has undergone such an ordeal, coming out of each of them unscathed. In the previous investigation, as in this, the prime movers were a People's party "weakly" editor and a member of the Society of King's Daughters, the latter of whom has evidently departed very far from the tenets of the noble organization in whose name she has been unwarrantably acting. Surely it is difficult to see how such manifest persecution of a worthy official could be conducted. "In His Name." In the present investigation the female complainant has been aided by this same blatant editor of an insignificant and irresponsible weekly sheet, who is consumed with a devouring ambition to inaugurate some "campaign" which will bring himself and his vapid "organ" into some measure of prominence—to prostrate himself temporarily out of that morass of oblivion, tempered by contempt, which is the natural and fitting habitat of men of his stripe in a community where ordinary intelligence prevails sufficient to enable the public to distinguish between the braying of an ass, drunken with a passion for notoriety, and the arguments of a reformer.

These people—in truth a strange fellowship—have for weeks and months been moving heaven and earth in their endeavor to prove that Dr. Hagan was unworthy of the position which he occupies. He has been charged with half the crimes in the calendar, among which negligence, cruelty and favoritism are some of the mildest. To back up these charges, inmates of the hospital have been summoned, whose infirmities, or age, or misery, or all these together, have made them peevish and morose, and who, either intentionally or otherwise, have magnified fancied slight into grave and deliberate shortcomings. There is not an institution in the world where such a fabric of apparent wrong could not be constructed upon such a foundation of hypochondriacal misconception. And it is upon such a flimsy basis as this, which melted away under the searching light of official and unprejudiced investigation, that a professed follower of Him who spoke in parables, without the aid of a would-be reform leader, has sought to blast the character of an official who has been shown by an overwhelming preponderance of evidence to be careful, painstaking and just in the discharge of his duties.

This has not been prosecution but persecution. The methods and motives of those who undertook it are not entitled to respect. The Supervisors have taken the case under advisement, there can be little doubt as to the outcome.

If the present state of affairs continues the administration will soon be in proper condition to go into the hands of a receiver.

Tacoma, according to the Ledger of that city, is talking up an interstate air. This thing is becoming contentious.

The Democratic steering committee evidently short somebody who knows how to work the sextant and compass.

Mark from Hawaii the Doleful sound greets the ears of Gresham and biated prophet.

The steamer Corwin has at last drifted off the mud flats at San Quentin and steamed for San Francisco. Now look out for the news cutter brought over to drop 'em on the country with a dull thud.

A Stockton editor has been thrashed by a civil engineer. The latter party was monarch of the man he surveyed—at least for a few minutes.

Everybody is laughing over the trouble in Hawaii except Grover and Gresham. They can't crack a smile to save their lives.

Christopher Evans continues his picnic excursion through the San Joaquin Valley, while the posse continue to hold the bag for snipe among the hills.

The annual meeting of the Los Angeles High School Alumni Society was held last evening at the law office of Walter F. Haas, No. 217 New High Street.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Arthur W. Kinney; first vice-president, Edward H. Garrett; second vice-president, Miss Nell Smith; secretary, C. E. Haas; treasurer, L. F. Shepard; sergeant-at-arms, G. L. Goldsworthy; executive committee, M. S. Bingman.

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COLD AND HUNGRY.**Railroad Men Suffering in Colorado.****Santa Fe Employees Complain to Gov. Waite.****Chauncey Depew on European Railroad Courtesy.****They Don't Deadhead Private Cars of Railroad Officials in "Yurrup"—General Local and Personal Mention.**

"I felt perfectly safe on the railroads in Europe," said Chauncey M. Depew, president of the New York Central, in relating to the New York World some incidents of his foreign experiences. "The express-trains ran twelve miles an hour. I had to be home by Christmas, and so did not try the locals. As an experienced railway man, I knew there was no fear of overtaking anything for a rear-end collision, and one head-on would only result in a gentle jar. Labor is cheap, and time is of no account. A bridge over a small stream near ancient Capua, where Hannibal's legions were demoralized by luxury, had broken down, landing locomotives and two cars in a ravine. I passed over four days later. The wreck was still in the ditch undisturbed, but about a hundred yards away, with their light-colored shawls, carrying on their heads a half-bushel basket full of earth, were gaily tripping to and from the sand bank and the crevass, filling it up. No steam shovel was there for the minimum of labor and the maximum of speed. The conditions entailed by inventions and machinery were thoroughly re-levered."

"During the World's Fair at Chicago the leading officers of all the European railways came over. They were provided with credentials from their ministers or ministers of war of their respective countries, sometimes certified to be genuine by their ambassadors at Washington. They used to file into my office accompanied by their consuls in New York. We passed them on to Chicago and return sleeping-car and all, and did the other railroads often paying 4 cents a mile for all my traps. I thought I would test the continental idea of reciprocity of courtesies. So I made myself known and the destination. The officers met me at the station with warm protestations of their treatment and the extent of their hospitalities. One from a paper would, under ordinary circumstances, have put my trunk on the car, but I would not give the special assistants assigned me by the management less than 5 francs each. Then I discovered that the courtesy consisted of reserving for me a first-class compartment, to be bad alone, and my paying the usual fare and extras."

HUNGRY SANTA FE EMPLOYEES**DENVER, Jan. 14.—(By the Associated Press.)****A committee of Santa Fe Railroad employees from La Junta, Colo., inform Gov. Waite that the engineers, conductors, brakemen, switchmen and telegraphers on the western division of the road have received no salary since last October, and that many of the men and their families are on the verge of starvation. The wages for November and December, they say, have been promised at different times, but in every instance the**

pay failed to come. The last date set by the management at which the men passed and no pay came is January 10. The men have exhausted their credit with the local merchants, and as the railway company has stopped supplying coal to its employees, many families are suffering from cold as well as hunger.

Gov. Waite today, and the judge decided to present the matter by letter to the receivers and request them to take immediate action. A communication from Gov. Waite will accompany the letter to Judge Hallett.

THE COST OF CARS.

The value of various kinds of cars on railroads is a subject frequently discussed by people who possess definite information and consequently make guesses which are frequently wide of the mark. An Eastern railroad publication published a list of prices of cars which is here reproduced. The prices of the freight cars include power and M.C.B. couplers:

Flat car \$ 360
500 pounds capacity 475
Coal car, drop bottom, 60,000 pounds capacity 495
Coal car, double hopper bottom 525
Coke car, double hopper-bottom 540
Ore car, hopper bottom, 53,760 pounds capacity 450
Stock car 600
Fruit car, ventilated 700
Refrigerator car 800
Caboose, four-wheel, \$550; eight-wheel 700
Motor and baggage car, 50 feet long 3,500
Passenger car, second-class 4,800
Passenger car, first-class 5,500
Passenger car, New York Central Railroad, 80 feet long 8,720
Sleeping car, Pullman and Wagner 10,000

In addition, this list should be mentioned the private cars of some notable railroad officials, costing up to \$25,000 apiece.

EXPECTED GREAT NORTHERN REDUCTION.

ST. PAUL, Jan. 14.—(By the Associated Press.) President Hill of the Great Northern has given notice that he will meet the committee of engineers tomorrow to confer with reference to schedules of pay. The men understand that this means a reduction.

SCRAP HEAP.**A Man With a Story Which He Refused to Tell a Surgeon.****Like the rain that falls upon us, so falls on the unjust as well as the just, a physician has to minister to the vicious as conscientiously as to the righteous, and to keep as scrupulously for the former such secrets as he learns in his attendance on them," remarked a doctor to Philadelphia Times reporter.**

I was a much younger man then than I am now, when one night my wife, long after I had retired, got up and let in a man who seemed to shrink from observation until my door was fairly closed on him. Then he took off his coat and rolled up the sleeve on his shirt, exposing the whole of his left arm. He made a hard knot on the underside of the arm. I felt this, and was at a loss to diagnose its character, but the man who seemed to be amused at my perplexity, finally said: "I might as well tell you, doctor, what it is. It is that huge, bright, bright star that you see tonight. That is an artificial substance injected in the flesh of my arm by myself. And I want you to cut it out."

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"I was not influenced by his threat to go to some other physician, nor by his compliment, but I was curious myself to know what would be the medical assistance could be. So I got out my knife and asked the fellow if he would take ether or chloroform; but he declared that he had opened the arm to insert the thing without not only an anaesthetic, but any instrument except a dull dinner knife.

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MORRELL THE DESPERADO.

His Reported Marriage to the Young Girl, Mary Kincaid.

The San Francisco Chronicle several days ago published a statement to the effect that Morrell, the young desperado who assisted Chris Evans to escape from the Fresno jail, had recently married a young girl in that city by the name of Mary Kincaid by contract. As a family by the name of Kincaid had recently arrived in this city from Fresno, an account of whom was published in The Times, a reporter yesterday called at the Kincaid residence on College street, for the purpose of ascertaining what truth there was in the story, or whether they knew anything about Morrell.

Mr. Kincaid, the father of Mary Kincaid, who, it has been reported, was some time ago married by contract to Ed Morrell, who is now in company with Chris Evans, was seen by a Times man, at his home on Main street extension yesterday. Mr. Kincaid stated that he came here from Fresno not long ago, but his daughter Mary and her sister remained, having employment at that place. Mr. Kincaid never saw Morrell himself, but Mary used to meet him occasionally. Mrs. Kincaid met Morrell on one occasion, and described him as gentlemanly, but boyish looking.

Mr. Kincaid says that he is entirely satisfied that the report of Morrell having been married by contract to his daughter, Mary, is an erroneous one. Mary is as yet but 17 years of age, and he believes has no thought of marriage for at least three or four years to come. He says that the reputation of Morrell previous to his coming with Evans must have been good, else Morrell would not have held the position in which he had for some time been employed.

Mr. Kincaid further said that Mary was acting as a private detective, and that he was in possession of the stone, for that he was a common smuggler I do not believe."

MINING IN CALIFORNIA.

A Splendid View of Coal on the Mojave Desert.

(Bakersfield Californian) While on the Mojave Desert Billy Gilbert took a trip up a gulch between El Paso and Colorado camps, to see the newly-discovered coal mine. He reports that a four-inch vein of splendid coal has just been opened. In the near vicinity there are some magnificent petrifications. Stumps of trees as much as eighty feet long can be seen, and in some cases the prone tree has branches all turned into stone.

The Loring and Leavitt mines on the line of the Elizabethtown gravel channel, north of Quincy, are being developed by Newell.

The Sacramento Independent says: "The Rawhide has again struck richer rock than ever below the 500-foot level. The mill has again started up. The repairs have just been completed to the reservoir, pump, etc., and our bins are all filled up and large quantities of rock stowed away in the mine ready to send to grass when needed. This is proving a marvelously rich mine. There appears to be no end to the wealth of gold being mined."

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COLD FACTS.

Owing to an intention of immediate removal from the city, a sale must be effected at once of that elegant and thoroughly modern home, No. 2415 South Flower street, on the clean side and in the most desirable neighborhood of the city. Cost is not in it, and a price has been made to force a sale within the next forty-eight hours. These are facts, and Clark & Bryan, sole agents, 127 West Third street, will be pleased to give further particulars.

THE SMALLEST IS THE BEST.

There are a dozen well-known liver pills, but only one so effective that it can be guaranteed to give satisfaction or the money be refunded. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are smaller, but better than the huge, old-fashioned pill, the medicinal agents are refined and concentrated.

Every one suffers, at some time or other, from Sour Stomach, Indigestion, Headache, Rheumatism and Sickness, relieved and relieved if you take these Pellets.

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AT THE CHURCHES.

The Sunday Services Well Attended.

A Striking Sermon by Rev. Mr. Taylor.

Dancing, Card-playing and Theater-going.

"Dual Vision" the Subject of Rev. Mr. Campbell's Discourse—East Side Baptist Church and the Pacific Gospel Union.

St. John's Episcopal Church was well filled last evening with an attentive congregation, to listen to the rector, Rev. B. W. R. Tyler, on the subject of "Dancing, Card Playing and Theater-going."

Mr. Taylor preached from the subject of Christ's first miracle in Cana of Galilee, where He turned the water into wine. After describing the circumstances of an oriental wedding, and this one in particular, three subjects were made prominent, as lesson drawn from the incident. The first was relative to the differences between Christ's miracles and the miracles of the prophets of the old dispensation. The second was a brief investigation into the words, "good wine," and the third pertained to Christ's presence at and participation in the joyous festivities of a social gathering.

The preacher then referred to the "good wine" which Christ made at the morning feast, and stated that while he could not see the course of a brief paragraph of a sermon, go into the entire line of question of the New Testament, he had, after careful and close study, come to the conclusion that the wine which Christ made, would, if drunk to excess, have proved intoxicating. The attempt made by some men to prove that the Biblical references to the use of wine had failed, as had also failed the theory that the wine, which was apparently spoken of, was absolutely non-intoxicating.

Christ condemned drunkenness, but also condemned gluttony, and the glutton is just as great a sinner as the man who drinks to excess.

At the same time we must admit that intemperance is the curse of this land. The saloon power is the deadliest foe to church and home. But if we are to banish drunkenness from our land, it will not be through human law or the work of man, but only by having the Spirit of God controlling our every action.

There are a good many men who say that the social evening, the merry dance, the quiet game of cards in the theater, the laughter and merriment of a card game, dull care, are all sinful and harmful, and that they are injurious to the welfare of the soul.

"Let us get away from these temptations of the world," is their cry. Yes, and you will find people today who hold up the hand of God in judgment on a game of cards, or a good, lively dance, but who will do some of the meanest tricks in trade, in banking, in church affairs, that would make the devil himself stare.

He is a poor specimen of a Christian who cannot receive some benefit from witnessing some of those grand sermons in action which have been produced for us by some of the leading English and American preachers.

As card-playing. If a man has the gambling spirit, he will gamble with straws and sticks; and if he has not, he may live next door to a card factory and never gamble for a cent. All gambling is wrong; but gambling on the stock exchange, or engineering corners in that is far one whit better than gambling with cards.

As to dancing. When it is not overdone, it is a very simple and agreeable exercise. It is one of the most popular and healthy of all social amusements. In that it is one whit better than gambling with cards.

UNITED PRESBYTERIANS.

Rev. Henry W. Crabe of the Second United Presbyterian congregation preached in the Y. M. C. A. Auditorium yesterday morning.

His text was taken from I Corinthians, xvii, 13. "Watch ye stand fast in the faith; quit you like men! be bold."

These words, said the speaker, have given us in regard to vigilance, and is expressed in the words, "watch ye." We understand, in common terms, the meaning of these words. It signifies, be on the alert. In like manner the Christian must stand on his guard, and always be on the watch for the approach of the enemy, that they may be prepared to use such means as are within his reach for his own spiritual defense.

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Stand fast in the faith. You will recognize with me that there is no stand when there is no watchfulness. Be manly, be courageous, and then, with watchfulness combined we will be able to stand with strength.

Let us stand in the faith, and our watchword as we go down upon the street, as we go to our homes. Let us call to mind the injunctions of the apostle: "Watch ye, stand fast in the faith, quit you like men, be strong in the Lord and in the power of His might."

UNITY CHURCH.

Yesterday morning, at the Church of the Unity, the pastor, Rev. J. S. Thomson, preached a sermon upon "Revelations Between the Earth and the Other Worlds" from the text, "Every family in heaven and upon earth, Ephesians 1, 12."

Science can tell us about the number of the other worlds, made known to it, about their size, distance, density, about their atmospheres, about their disturbances, about their spectra, about their influences upon our earth, in the matter of storms, of attraction, of cosmic disturbances; and that is all that science can do at present. Philosophy, according to reasoning by analogy, says that since the universe is infinite, the number of worlds in space must be infinite, too; that the possibilities of individual intelligences upon every planet are suggested by the fact that there are infinite numbers of worlds.

The Old Testament informs us that "God created the heavens," and that their hosts praise the Eternal. The New Testament directs us to pray to "Our Father who is in the heavens" and it assures us that "their angels look upon the face of the Father in heaven," and in our text we hear about "every family in heaven and upon earth."

This speaker explained that the Greek has plural forms where the English translation has substituted singular ones. According to Christ, some of these worlds are better than ours. "One star differeth from another in glory." In Christ's prayer He refers to the world which he left to save this world; and he prays one petition into his model prayer, which shows that in some worlds God's will is better done than in our earth. "They will be done on earth as it is in heaven."

The Bible then assures us that aons, notwithstanding the other worlds; that they are not empty, in some day will be able to demonstrate that the worlds are inhabited by intelligent beings. Then the inspiration of the Bible will receive wonderful confirmation. At present the Bible is inspiring us to believe this matter.

For years astronomers have been telling us that in 1904 our earth and several sister worlds will do the same thing at the same time. This would

seem to indicate a prophecy of peace and agreement. The age in which Christ appeared was intensely intellectual, agnostic, superstitious and anti-sensual; as Paul describes it in Romans, and the down-to-Jerusalem time for universal peace. All these things are characteristic of our age.

Perhaps, in twelve years, we may have a spiritual movement to succeed this feverish intellectual one. The inhabitants of the other worlds may be more interested in spiritual communication than we are, and a ray of light that now shows the composition of other worlds may also be a means of communication.

Y. W. C. A.

The gospel meeting at Trinity Methodist Episcopal Church, South, yesterday afternoon, had an increased attendance.

Prayer was offered by Mrs. J. W. Campbell and Miss Morse, and then followed an informal talk to young women by Mrs. Campbell. It was full of helpfulness and hope for discouraged and weary womankind.

Mrs. Campbell, who assisted in the first gospel meeting held, said: "I am greatly interested in your work, and believe that through your efforts much is to be done. I will be very Christlike and very courageous."

She announced as her subject, "Individuality," and explained that it was a permanent one in these times, when the highest praise seemed to be expressed in saying, "he is unique, original, individual." That with it came responsibility. She said God had stamped each one of us from the first with this individuality, and had planned our lives; if into them came sorrow and pain, we should count ourselves honored in the thought that we are strong enough to bear it.

In whatever we have to do of daily toil, try and show character, and let the simplest, most irksome task be done for the honor and glory of Christ. Every God-given quality means something. Let us be true to use, and it is just as wrong to deprecate ourselves as to overestimate ourselves.

Dr. Gibbs of Chicago preached a forcible sermon at the hall in the evening.

SAW A LIVING MUMMY.

A Woman So Old That Her Muscles Hung Like Shreds on Sticks.

In the Cornhill Magazine a writer records a visit to an Egyptian domicile situated upon the Nile: "We went into the hut after some hesitation and found the old woman sitting on the floor, leaning against a mud bench, and cross legged upon the mud bench, and on the floor bent over the fire the oldest-looking human being I ever saw alive. Mummies I have seen, and wondered not that they were dead, but in what part of her withered, desiccated frame that old woman found space to keep the stern vital energies that lined grim, carved face I can scarcely guess. She looked no more living than seaweed does dried and stretched on paper."

"Her arms, her legs (thrust almost into the fire) were so shrunken that the long leathern flesh and flaccid muscles hung round them like dangling shreds on sticks. Round her neck were beads of wood and round her wrists leather bracelets (though, to be sure, I cannot feel certain they were not folds of skin) and on her face lurked not only lines, but gullies and passageways they seemed so deep and fallen. But for the occasions when she moved her cold, unquestioning eye I could not have supposed her anything else than one of the earliest and best-preserved of the remost queens of Egypt."

The old man gave us lusty welcome, and sent for milk and dates and filled our pockets. He showed us his long spear that hung against the wall, and told me with a proud gesture that he had often killed his man, but more often with his sword, and, taking me by the shoulder, showed me merely how he used to do it. He was 90 years old, and had never been further from home than Assuan, and then only once. All his sons sat and stood around us, and in the background against the mud granary white teeth glimmered and the broad black faces of the women shone. I asked him what present he would like, and he asked for a little rice and a little black coffee. All the time he clutched and fingered his Mass-ter rosary which, when I admired it, he wanted me to accept. The son came up to the doorway and carried off the same rice in a small bag, to which I added a couple of oranges with particular instructions that one was to be given to the old gentleman."

Mother Knows.

On some far heights beyond my mortal eye,

She waits and watches all these lonely days,

And does she, list'ning hear my longing cry?

Am still in calmness go her peaceful ways?

The mother loves within her heart must leap.

As erst it leap thro' all my lengthening years.

Will be heaven if mother's love could sleep,

And not reach forth to wipe away these tears.

And yet I call and silence answers me;

No hand nor voice responds unto my own.

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THE Arthur shall reach to all eternity.

Until the spirit knows as it is known.

But slowly thro' my anguish something steals.

A subtle, all-pervading sense of peace, A knowledge deeper than my own, that heals.

And gives the writhing agony surcease.

He knows, at least the crooked lines of death.

And marks their aims and smiles to see.

How devoutly all these paths of bitter misery lead now to Ray.

And what and where their happy end shall be.

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SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA



PASADENA.

Sunday's Happenings Briefly Summed Up.

Important Meetings Today—Death of T. A. Smith—Personal Notes of Interest—Matters Municipal—Batch of Brevities.

Consequent upon the big Board of Trade meeting held yesterday afternoon, the important committee meetings will be held this morning. The local committee appointed to take charge of the tramp question will confer with members of the City Council on the subject while the committee named by the Midway Fair will meet at the office of Dr. M. Green, to discuss ways and means of obtaining sufficient funds for the proposed exhibit. Decisive steps will probably be taken at both meetings.

DEATH OF A WELL-KNOWN RESIDENT.

T. A. Smith, a long-time citizen of Pasadena, died at 2 o'clock Sunday morning at his home on West Union street. He was in the 72nd year of his age. For the past twenty years he had suffered severely from the asthma, but it was only recently that he was confined to his bed. His passing was a loss to Mr. Smith always took a lively interest in public affairs, and was usually to be found at public gatherings of all descriptions. He was a member of the bar, and in the trial of cases in the local courts, in which capacity he was noted for his fairness and sound judgment. He was a member of the Orange Lodge, I.O.O.F. His wife and several children, all grown-up, survive him. The funeral will probably be held at the same time as the meeting of a definite hour for the services being postponed awaiting the arrival of Mr. and Mrs. Beck of San Francisco. Mrs. Beck being a daughter of the deceased.

THE TIMES IN NORTH PASADENA.

The North Pasadena carrier service, that was inaugurated by The Times January 1, has proven eminently satisfactory to the subscribers that received it. As a result many new names have been added to the list, and many more are being received daily. Any person residing north of the city can have his name added to the list by calling at the office of E. W. Britt and Judge J. Wade McDonald.

PASADENA BREVITIES.

The word of caution down the walk on the south side of Colorado street on the hill between Terrace drive and Orange Grove avenue, to correspond to the official grade, is about completed and the long-expected completion will follow.

George Hill, former well-known resident of Pasadena, is acting as clerk of the poker room in Los Angeles.

That new and mammoth street-sweeper is about due.

Travels to the mountain camps continue.

A few Pasadenaans spent Sunday at Camp Wilson.

Fannie Rice will be seen at the Opera-house January 24, in "The New Jolly Jester."

Justice E. H. Lawrence has been confined to the house for some days by illness.

The Arcade Sketch Club will meet this evening at Miss Edith White's studio.

Sunday morning's overland did not arrive until after 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

President Keyes has appointed Mrs. W. M. Hill and T. A. Wilson, members of the Midwinter Fair Committee, which will meet at 10 o'clock this morning at the First National Bank building.

The meeting will be in regular session at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

A regular weekly drill of Co. B will be held tonight at the armory.

The meeting of the Knights of the Maccabees, will meet this evening.

The weather of the past week has exceeded the most sanguine anticipations of the rear Eastern arrivals.

The work of grading Mary street between Vernon and Fair Oaks avenues, is well under way.

Rubio Canyon and Echo Mountain attracted the usual large number of Sunday visitors.

There was a heavy rain for Saturday night, and Sunday opened bright. By noon, however, the sun was shining brightly, and warm, the weather of the afternoon delightful.

Remnants thrown out during stock-taking will be put on sale today at the Bon Accorde. It will be worth your while to look them over.

Among recent arrivals at Hotel Green are Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Hendry, Pilot Bay; Dr. J. C. McRee, Redondo; Miss J. R. Rubinstein, Santa Monica; E. Clark, Minneapolis, Minn.

John Wetherell, wife and two children, and wife accompanied by Miss Smith, all of Minneapolis, arrived in Pasadena Sunday, and will be established at the Arthur House during the remainder of the season.

Between forty and fifty Los Angelesians dined at Hotel Green Sunday.

On Monday January 20, a fair and bazaar will be given at William's Hall, under the auspices of the Roman Catholic Church, and will continue throughout the ensuing week.

Father Gorman of Los Angeles, officiated at the Catholic Church Sunday morning, in the absence of Father Scanlan.

A week of special revival services will follow last week's session of prayer at the Presbyterian Church, opening with a morning prayer-meeting this morning at 8 o'clock.

Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, Mrs. Ferguson of Los Angeles will give a Biblical address at the Christian Church.

O. W. Kyle rendered a fine solo, "When the Mists are Cleared Away," at the Union Church Sunday morning.

An exciting runaway occurred Sunday at noon at the Terminal station. The double team belonging to J. S. Ballard being unable to hold the team, the horses ran away, leaving the debris upon the railway track. The team turned in a blind corner and became entangled without doing further damage. This may serve as a warning and an example to the drivers of public conveyances who are too prone to leave their teams insecurely anchored.

The steam-power plant at Hotel Green will be put in action today and run two days on trial of satisfactory, it will be accepted by the hotel.

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CITY BRIEFS

NEWS AND BUSINESS.

The Weather. Los Angeles, Jan. 14, 1894.—At 5 o'clock a.m., the barometer registered 30.29, at 5 o'clock p.m. 30.00. The thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 46 deg. and 50 deg. Maximum temperature, 57 deg.; minimum temperature, 44 deg. Character of weather, partly cloudy. Barometer reduced to sea level.

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Martin's Camp, Wilson's Peak, will be open all winter.

Stoves and ranges, C. T. Paul's No. 130 South Main.

Oval and Indian reliques at Campbell's. Dr. Cowles removed to Bryson Block.

There was a fair attendance at the promenade concert at Westlake Park yesterday afternoon.

There are undelivered telegrams at the Western Union telegraph office for W. F. Pinkham and L. G. Kellogg.

City Treasurer Shouters, who has been confined to his house for several days by a severe cold, is rapidly improving and hopes to be at his office in a day or two.

The first section of the unemployed will be put to work this morning, and will work three days, when the second section will be put on for the remainder of the week.

Exhibits for the poultry show, which opens in Music Hall Tuesday, are arriving in large numbers. Secretary Stedman says the display this year will be the best ever given by the association.

Mrs. Davies Schmid will sing at the Symphony concert in San Francisco, which takes place on the 26th inst., and not on the 17th, as published in yesterday's Times. On the latter date the lady is engaged to sing at San Jose.

The funeral of the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. McPherson took place from the residence on Johnson avenue, East Los Angeles, yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock, the services being conducted by Rev. Bur. Estes Howard. The interment was in Evergreen.

The company in the course of the Young Men's Christian Association this evening will be participated in Mr. and Mrs. Modini-Wood, Miss Jessie Padham, Mrs. Llewellyn, Merle Manning and John Llewellyn, vocalists; Dion Romandy, violin; Mr. McQuillen, flute; Mr. Bierlich, cello; and Mrs. Larabee, pianist.

The members of the stranded theatrical companies are working hard for their benefit, which takes place Thursday evening. The actors have been playing in very hard lines of late, are behind in their hotel bill, and are unable to get transportation home. The complete programme has been arranged, and the performance promises to be a good one.

It has been discovered that some one forged the name of John Dillon to a demand on the city treasury for \$8, and secured the money. Dillon was employed by the City Engineer for two days in looking up the pipes of the City Water Company, at \$4 per day. When he called for his warrant, he found that some one else had preceded him, signed his name and got away with the money. Dillon claims that he cannot write his name. The matter is being investigated.

PERSONALS.

S. H. Goodwin of Ventura is in the city. Mr. Goodwin is the postmaster and Times correspondent in that thriving town.

FLORAL-CITRUS EXHIBIT.

The Merchants Determined to Make it a Success.

The Executive Committee of the Merchants' Association held a lengthy meeting Friday afternoon at the parlors of the Nadeau Hotel, devoting their entire time in perfecting their arrangements and strengthening their committees, in order to start in at once with the grand fair, which will be held under their auspices during the month of April. From the interest taken by the Executive Committee and the various committees comprising it is bound to be a grand success, as these committees are composed of some of the leading business men of the city whose very names are a guarantee of its success. Their purpose is to eclipse everything ever attempted in this city.

The worthy object of this fair, which is to divide the proceeds between the orphan asylums of this city, is another strong point in its favor, and it is certain that before many days have passed this entire city will be deeply interested in this great undertaking, and will lend their willing aid to assure its success.

A BOLD FORGER.

Signed Another's Name to a Note But Failed to Cash It.

Fred Dern was arrested yesterday by Officer Conley on a charge of forgery. On Saturday afternoon the man went out to the home of a well-known citizen on Adams street and secured, on the strength of former acquaintance, a letter of recommendation. No sooner had he received this than he drew up a note for \$100, signing the name of the Adams street resident to it. He then went to the store of H. Siegel and endeavored to get money on the worthless piece of paper. Mr. Siegel investigated the matter, and, upon finding that the note was a forgery, turned Dern over to the police. A complaint will be filed against him today.

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BURGLARS CAUGHT.

Palmdale Safe-breakers Securely Lodged in Jail.

Deputy Sheriff F. Bowler makes an important Capture—Men who are Wanted at Redding as Prison Escapes—William Drew a Criminal.

On Friday night burglars entered the store of John Sherer at Palmdale and made away with \$100 in money and about \$200 worth of goods. The money they got from the safe which they blew open with giant powder. No one heard the report, and it was not until the following morning that the burglary was discovered.

Deputy Sheriff F. Bowler started to endeavor to catch the store-breakers as soon as he was notified, and last evening brought his men to the County Jail, having made a clever capture, and recovering nearly all the stolen goods.

Knowing that the burglars could not have gone very far, Deputy Bowler got on the train coming south Saturday morning, riding on the "blind baggage," in order to look out for the men whom he was sure would adopt the tramps' method of travel.

He was not mistaken in his calculations, for at Vincent, a little station six miles south of Palmdale, two rough-looking fellows, accompanied by a boy, climbed up beside him as the train moved out. Bowler soon found that his fellow-passengers were the two men he was looking for, and placed them under arrest. When brought to the County Jail a discovery was made which convinced Bowler of the importance of his capture, for the two men were found to be none other than Charles E. Long and Albert Martin, who were wanted at Redding for breaking jail while under sentence to State's prison, and for the arrest of whom \$100 reward is offered. The third member of the gang was none other than the boy William Drew, who was arrested the other day for stealing three boxes of books from a news stand on Spring street. While confined in the City Prison, Drew received a great deal of sympathy, all of which appears to have been undeserved, for he is evidently as thorough-paced a young scoundrel as ever graced a cell. Since his last arrest, Drew has continued to have taken part in the Palmdale burglary, and his evidence will be used in the conviction of the other men.

Both of the latter have been in the city for several weeks past, and one was before the police some time ago in the course of the daily "hobo round-ups," but was not detained as a suspicious character.

Kenny Was Insane.

James Kenny, an insane man, was found wandering about the streets yesterday afternoon by a citizen, in an erratic and purposeless manner, and was taken to the police station. Kenny will be examined by a lunacy committee today.

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